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October 11, 2005

Hon. Mark R. Hutchinson 611 Frederica Street Owensboro, KY 42301

RE: Atmos Energy Corporation

Case No. 2005-00399

Petition for Confidential Protection

Dear Mr. Hutchinson:

The Commission has received the petition of Atmos filed September 30, 2005, to protect as confidential the quarterly Correction Factor and Exhibit D and page 19 of Exhibit C filed with its Gas Cost Adjustment. A review of the information has determined that it is entitled to the protection requested on the grounds relied upon in the petition and it shall be withheld from public inspection.

If the information becomes publicly available or no longer warrants confidential treatment, you are required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7(9)(a), to inform the Commission so that the information may be placed in the public record.

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Executive Director

cc: All parties of record

